

# THE SIPRO PRE-PLE SET VI 2024

## ENGLISH

Time Allowed: 2 Hours 15 Minutes

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### READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY:

1. This paper has two sections: A and B.
2. Section A, sub - section I has 30 questions (30 marks) Sub - section II has 20 questions (20 marks).
3. Section B has 5 questions (50 Marks).
4. Attempt all questions in both sections. All answers to both sections A and B must be written in the spaces provided.
5. All answers must be written in blue or black ball point pens or *ink*. Only diagrams and graph work must be done in *pencil*.
6. Unnecessary *alteration* of work will lead to loss of marks.
7. Any *handwriting* that cannot be easily read may lead to loss of marks.
8. Do not fill anything in the boxes indicated: "FOR EXAMINER'S USE ONLY"

### For Examiner's Use Only;

Qn No.	MARKS	INITIALS
1 - 10		
11 - 20		
21 - 30		
31 - 40		
41 - 50		
51		
52		
53		
54		
55		
Total		

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## **SECTION A: 50 MARKS**

Questions 1 to 50 carry one mark each.

### **Sub - Section I**

**In each of the questions 1 to 5, fill the blank space with a suitable word.**

1. Peter is a hard - working boy, isn't \_\_\_\_\_?
2. The baker has been \_\_\_\_\_ the dough for thirty minutes.
3. There wasn't \_\_\_\_\_ porridge in the bottle.
4. Mrs. Kyemutai is such an \_\_\_\_\_ woman that she answered all questions.
5. The tailor bought a new pair of \_\_\_\_\_ before cutting the cloth.

**In each of the questions 6 to 15, use the correct form of the word given in brackets to complete the sentence.**

6. Susan is \_\_\_\_\_ the chairperson of our school's debates. (usual)
7. One of the \_\_\_\_\_ asked for forgiveness. (crime)
8. Cigarette smoking \_\_\_\_\_ the risk of cancer to the smoker each day. (multiply)
9. Sendi lives \_\_\_\_\_ from the school than Henry. (far)
10. Why did the \_\_\_\_\_ teller ask for a national identity card? (threë)
11. They should take care of \_\_\_\_\_ property. (they)
12. You should wait for the \_\_\_\_\_ letter from the school administration. (admit)
13. His vehicle will not start because of that \_\_\_\_\_ problem. (mechanic)
14. What a beautiful mat she has \_\_\_\_\_! (weave)
15. Ali has a very big \_\_\_\_\_ in Kido Town. (bake)



In each of the questions 16 and 17, use the given word in a sentence to show that you know the difference in their meaning.

16. need: \_\_\_\_\_

17. knead: \_\_\_\_\_

In each of the questions 18 and 19, write the given short form in full.

18. shan't: \_\_\_\_\_

19. Co. \_\_\_\_\_

In each of the questions 20 to 22, rewrite the sentence giving the plural form of the underlined word.

20. Musa is feeding the goose.

21. The sty should be cleaned.

22. Their head of department organized the meeting.

In each of the questions 23 and 24, arrange the given words in alphabetical order.

23. September, May, January, April

24. protect, preserve, praise, prepare

In each of the questions 25 and 26, rewrite the sentence giving one word for the underlined group of words.

25. Edward brought back my suit yesterday.

26. Keira moved out two times.

In each of the questions 27 and 28, rewrite the sentence giving the opposite of the underlined word.

27. Two boys are standing outside the house.

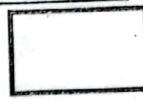
28. The performance of my son is better than I thought.



In each of the questions 29 and 30, rearrange the given words to form a correct sentence.

29. cheque by teller signed The was the.

30. this is How letter interesting!



### Sub - Section II

In each of the questions 6 to 15, use the correct form of the word given in brackets to complete the sentence.

31. You don't need to play loud music.

(Rewrite the sentence using: ----- necessary -----)

32. The tour to the sanctuary was very interesting.

(Rewrite the sentence beginning: How -----)

33. You have to study hard while in school.

(Rewrite the sentence using: ----- must -----)

34. The mechanic needs sand paper. The carpenters need sand paper.

(Rewrite as one sentence using: ----- and so -----)

35. Behave well if you want to be successful in life.

(Rewrite the sentence beginning: Either ----- or-----)

36. Mukisa prefers mopping the house to washing clothes.

(Rewrite the sentence using: ----- would rather -----)

37. The sauce had a lot of salt.

(Rewrite the sentence using: -----was very-----)

38. Tulu repaired the radio without any help.

(Rewrite the sentence ending: ----- herself.)



39. This paper comprises fifty-five questions  
(Rewrite the sentence using: ..... composed.....)

40. When you stand for long, you will feel dizzy.  
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: The-----)

41. My cousin is here. I sent the invitation card to her.  
(Rewrite as one sentence using: -----whom-----)

42. "I shall visit Aunt Rena tomorrow," said Herbert.  
(Rewrite the sentence using: -----that-----)

43. The girl broke the ruler. The teacher punished her.  
(Rewrite as one sentence beginning: Having-----)

44. Our class monitor has a goat as well as a cow.  
(Rewrite as one sentence beginning: Not only -----)

45. Annet saw a gun. She was not scared.  
(Rewrite as one sentence using: -----but-----)

46. She last discussed in the group two days ago.  
(Rewrite the sentence using: -----since-----)

47. If the manager considers my application, I will get the job.  
(Rewrite the sentence using: -----unless-----)

48. Parties are not as expensive as tours.  
(Rewrite the sentence using: -----than-----)



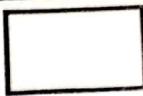
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49. Derrick doesn't like lousing around  
(Rewrite the sentence using: ----- dislikes-----)

50. The two men come from Australia.  
(Rewrite the sentence using: ----- are -----)



### SECTION B: 50 MARKS

Questions 51 to 55 carry ten marks each.

51. The pupils of Sipro Primary School wrote compositions about elections in their school. The compositions were displayed in the classroom. Read Ritah's composition and then answer, in full sentences, the questions that follow.

#### ELECTIONS IN SIPRO PRIMARY SCHOOL

Elections in our school have always been interesting. Last year's elections were the most interesting. I did not contest because I had gone back home so, I did not apply.

Two of my classmates contested. Zakia contested the post of head girl while Kawalya contested the post of entertainment. Kawalya was funny and he made the pupils laugh whenever he campaigned. Zakia on the other hand made very good speeches. I did not pay a lot of attention to the rest of the contestants.

On the day of elections, ballot boxes and papers were brought very early in the morning and soon the voting began. Voting ended at three in the afternoon. Counting did not take long because there were three tally centres.

My favourite candidates Zakia and Kawalya emerged winners. I was the happiest person that day. I joined the rest of the pupils in



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the celebrations. The elections were free and fair. I look forward to contesting next year.

**Questions:**

(a) In which school is the writer?

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(b) Who wrote the composition above?

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(c) Why didn't the writer contest?

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(d) Who wanted to be a prefect for entertainment?

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(e) At what time did the voting exercise end?

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(f) How many tally centres were used?

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(g) What made the writer happy?

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(h) What does the writer intend to do next year?

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(i) Write another word or group of words to mean the same as the underlined one in the passage:

began

a/c

(j) What is the title of the composition?

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52. The information below appeared in Tukedde Newspaper on 25<sup>th</sup> April 2023. Study it carefully and then answer, in full sentences, the questions that follow.

### OBITUARY

**Name** : Birigo Gamuse.

**Date of birth** : 10th January, 1942

**Date of death**: 24th April, 2023

**Residence** : Kamengo

**Survived by:**

**Wife:** Kyangeni Milsa

**Children:** - Tulelo Mande

- Kisingili Fraide

**Grandchildren:** Munge, Sobei, Zidolo

**Occupation:** Doctor



#### Questions:

(a) Where can one find this information?

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(b) Who is dead according to the information?

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(c) How old was Birigo at the time of death?

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(d) Where did the late live?

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(e) Who was the late's wife?

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(f) How many children did the late have?

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(g) What did Munge call the late?

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(h) What name is given to Kyangeni Milsa now?

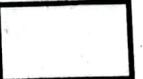
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(i) What was Birigo Gamuse?

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(j) When was the above obituary published in the newspaper?

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**53. Read the poem below carefully and then answer, in full sentences, the questions that follow.**

I am lost in my own village  
The place that I knew each corner  
Easily giving directions to strangers  
I am the stranger now after being away  
For two years in the city.

Where is the thick forest?  
That everyone feared to go into  
Except Zabangi, the herbalist  
Who always went there  
To get herbs for snake bites.

Crying for my village, Qwanze  
That was once all green  
But is now flooded and filthy  
Because of poor practices in our village.

**Nandi**

**Questions:**

(a) How does the writer help strangers?

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(b) Where has the writer been?

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(c) Why do you think people were scared to go to the forest?

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(d) Which people used Zabangi's herbs?

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(e) What is Zabangi?

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(f) Which village is talked about?

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(g) What does the writer want the village to look like?

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(h) Why are there floods in the village?

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(i) Who wrote the poem?

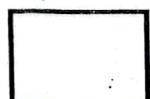
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(j) Suggest a suitable title to the poem.

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**54. The sentences below are in a wrong order. Rearrange them to make a meaningful story.**

- a) The machine was black in colour.
- b) The excitement was because of the use of an oven.
- c) Ms Prena told her that it was an oven.
- d) Maya saw a machine yesterday.
- e) She decided to ask Ms Prena.
- f) It also had a door and two knobs.
- g) Maya was excited on learning that it was an oven.
- h) Maya wondered what it was.
- i) The door was made of glass.
- j) Ms Prena also promised to bake some cakes in the oven.



55. Agatha Nandutu, the MDD prefect at Model Junior School organised P.4 inter - stream MDD competitions among P.4 Earth, P.4 Neptune and P.4 Jupiter. However, she did not have props and costumes to use. She wrote the letter below to her Head teacher to request them. Fill the blank spaces with the suitable words.

PO Box 421  
Kasanga

The Head teacher

PO Box 421  
Kasanga.

Dear Sir,

Re: \_\_\_\_\_

I write to \_\_\_\_\_ you to permit us to use the school \_\_\_\_\_ and props for the upcoming P.4 Inter - stream MDD competitions due \_\_\_\_\_ take place on 4<sup>th</sup> November, 2024.

I \_\_\_\_\_ be in charge of the above items and promise to take good care of them.

Awaiting \_\_\_\_\_ positive consideration.

Yours faithfully,  
Agatha

MDD Prefect

